

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF FINANCE
DEPARTMENT OF EXPENDITURE
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO: 1688.**

TO BE ANSWERED ON 25th November, 2016/AGRAHAYANA 4,1938(SAKA)

Swachh Bharat Cess.

**1688. SHRI V. PANNEERSELVAM:
SHRI HARI OM PANDAY:
SHRI MANOJ TIWARI:
SHRI CHANDRA PRAKASH JOSHI:
DR. RATNA DE (NAG):**

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has any digitalised mechanism to distribute funds collected under Swachh Bharat Cess to urban local bodies;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the extent to which the said mechanism has been successful in proper monitoring of funds and ensure its proper utilisation?

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE
(SHRI ARJUN RAM MEGHWAL)**

(a): Yes Sir.

(b) & (c): The Central Government is releasing fund collected under Swachh Bharat Cess to Urban Local Bodies through Plan Fund Monitoring System (PFMS). The mechanism has been successful in proper release of funds.
